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**TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE**

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Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed on November 18, 2003, for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Response to Final Office Action;
- ☒ Return Postcard.


The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-3117.

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the final office action dated November 18, 2003, please consider the following remarks in the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification:** None.

**Listing and Amendments to the Claims:** Begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** none

**Remarks:** Begin on page 7 of this paper.